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Great Prize Contest Just Fairly Started

ding in the Great Popularity Race Gets Brisker. Many of the Can-didates are Just Beginning to Wake up to the Fact that they Really can win a Prize very easily Many Inquiries Coming in from Prospective Candidates. There is a good opportunity for any per-son to pull down a prize very Ressity.

GREAT DOUBLE VOTE OFFER NOW ON

Now is your chance to get a good start in this great race for glory and prizes. Double Votes on all Subscriptions turned in before February 20th.

The Big Sandy News Prize Popularity Contest, like all huge affairs, is slow in launching, but gathers speed from day to day and will soon be swinging along in fine style.

The list grows steadily each day as more and more persons make up their minds that their chances are as good as any one already in the list, and they proceed to get a pair of scissors, clip out the nomination blank and then send it to the contest department.

tificate for a certain number of votes according to the length of the

the votes from the paper for you.

6. WHO SHALL I SEND SUB-SCRIPTIONS TO? Address all nom-SCRIPTIONS TO? Address all nominations and communications to the Contest Manager, care of the Big Sandy News, Louisa. Ky. Have checks money orders, etc., made payable to the Big Sandy News.

7. HOW MANY DISTRICTS ARE THERE? Two districts one in Law-sence county, and one in the territory of the contest outside.

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NOT CARE TO COMPETE? No.
once issued, vote ballots or certificates are absolutely non transferable, If you drop out after you have
got started, you lose all votes that
are to your credit.

9. WHEN I GET A SUBSCRIBTOR DO I SEND THE MONEY TO

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THE BIG SANDY NEWS? Yes, always collect the money for the subscriptions. Vote certificates will not
be issued unless the money is inclosed with the name and address of
the subscriber. Inclose center part
of your contest subscription receipts
when sending in the money. If you
have no receipt book, write the Contest Department.

Do not stop and then start the
paper again or switch an old subscriber to some other member of
same household. Such will not be
counted as new subscriptions, but
as old ones.

Double Votes on all Subscriptions Feb. 6 to Feb. 20 Inclusive.

The great "Opportunity Off-er" of the contest starts Feb. 6, Double Votes will be given on both old and new subscrip-tions turned in between Thurs-day morning, Feb. 6 and Thursday, Feb. 20th at 8 p. m. It is probably the most remarkable offer ever made in a similiar contest—a vote offer that cannot fail to appeal to you as the best kind of an opportunity for you to win for your favorite. day, Feb. 20th at 8 p. m.

For every dollar turned in on subscriptions between the above mentioned dates, we will give you twice the usual number of votes and you will therefore be able to work to twice the advantage as under ordinary circumstances. This great vote offer will positively close THURSDAY Feb. 20 at 8 p. m.

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portunity for candidates in the sec-ond district to pull down the prizes votes according to the length of the subscription, and mail same back to you. These vote certificates are good at any time up to the close of the contest and may be polled and published whenever you choose. They will not be added to your standing in the paper until you send them in with the request that they be polled and published.

5. SHALL I SEND IN SUBSCRIPTIONS AS SOON AS I RECEIVE THEM? Yes, then we can get the paper started to the subscriber and he will clip and save the votes from the paper for you.

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DOUBLE VOTES.

Following is the schedule of votes on both old and new subscriptions during the big "Double Vote Offer" which is now in force:

New Subscriptions years..... 261,200 votes. years...... 210,000 votes. years...... 124,800 votes. 3 years..... 63,600 votes. 2 years..... 38,406 votes.

1	year	. 13,600	votes
	Old Subscr	riptions.	
10	years	. 100,800	votes
8			votes
5	years		votes
3	years		votes
2	years		votes
1	year		votes

(Continued on page four.) OLD LANDMARK REMOVED.

The frame residence on the south-east corner of Madison and Jeffer-son streets is being torn down. For many years it was owned and occu-pled by William Bowe, deceased. Later R. C. McClure kept the pos-office there, and until he built his present residence it was the home of Robert Dixon. Its removal will add much to the appearance of the Dixon property.

Married, Wednesday morning, February 5th, 1913, in this city, at the residence of her son, Mr. W. L. Ferguson, Mrs. Angie Ferguson, of Harold, Floyd county, to Mr. William Myers, of Ashland. The Rev. J. W. Crites, pastor of the M. E. Church South, Louisa, performed the ceremony, which took place in the presence of a few friends, neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ferguson. Shortly after the pair became one they left for Cincinnati, where they will remain a few days and then return to Ashland for research the control of the contr and then return to Ashland for res-

FERGUSON-MYERS.

the College building on tomorrow (Saturday) night, at which time Congressman A. O. Stanley and Jno. W. Langley will address what undoubtedly will be a big audience in the interest of the College. These noted was will come a long distance. the interest of the College. These noted men will come a long distance to talk to our people, and we should show by our presence at this meeting that we appreciate their kindness. An interesting program will be observed. If the weather should be observed. If the weather should through the Cincinnati gateway last the contraction of the

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hours" are associated with him. As
I write my heart is filled with these
happy recollections. He was born,
lived and died upon a farm adjoining the old Burns homestead (more
recently known as the John Powers
farm) where he was born and grew
to manhood. He was highly gifted
to manhood. He was highly gifted
intellectually, and was widely and
well informed, but never had any
profersional or political ambitions,
preferring to lead a quiet Christian
life on his beautiful bluegrass farm.
He belonged to the class of men
described in Gray's Elegy who

In Major 1800 and \$90
The Elliott Circuit Court declared
that neither set of claimants had esthat neither set of claimants had estable.

HIS SIXTH BIRTHDAY.

Richard Bromley, the bright little was to Walker, who lived on Troublesome creek, in Knott country.

The parents and all the children were sold off and carried away in 1848, excepting Jesse and Bill, and Jesse was given to Walker's son, Alex was taken to Carter country.

The Elliott Circui

sistent, ardent and zealous member of the Southern Missionary Baptist Church. He was the only person I ever knew who kept a strict account

wife was Miss Mary Casey, of near where Kellogg, Wayne county, W. Evans was appointed to divide the dicense in Boyd county to wed street and to them were given as pledges of their love seven children, and to their love seven children number in think his grand children number about thirty and several great grand. Va., now is. She was a good woman and to them were given as pledges of their love seven children. I think his grand children number about thirty and several great grand children. His first wife died many years ago, and several years thereafter he married Miss Amanda Bradley, daughter of Steph-n Bradley, who in his day was one of Lawrence county's good citizens. Everybody in this section knows "Aunt Christian church, performed the ceremony.

(Continued on page five.)

A BIG DEAL.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 4.—Three Cincinna'i initial lines—Chesapeake & will require about ten thousand yards of concrete.

Ohio, Norfolk & Western and Louis-ville & Nasville—are vitally interested in the visit of D. A. Thomas, of Newport, Wales, and T. J. Callaghan and W. A. Macknight, all of whom are connected with the Cambian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Eastern Kentucky coal fields, Mess-bian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Eastern Kentucky coal fields, Mess-bian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Eastern Kentucky coal fields, Mess-bian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Cambian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Eastern Kentucky coal fields, Mess-bian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Eastern Kentucky coal fields, Mess-bian coal syndicate, of Wales, to the Cambian coal syndicate of the Boys of Lawrence County:

We want to organize ninetees Corn Clubs in the county, one for each election or voting precinct. Three prizes will be awarded to cach election or voting precinct. The GNE WES.

It is our desire to make prizes of value, but we will have to be governed by the amount of money we

ments of about 4,000,000 tons of coal per annum to the Atlantic seaboard for shipment to South America. Eventually American coal will be put in the Mediterranean trade, as the Welsh coal operators are beginning to realize that black diamonds from this country constitute. onds from this country constitute the most serious competition that

COUNCIL MEETING.

The city council met in regular ever knew who kept a strict account of his income from any and every source, and conscientiously paid a tithe thereof to the Lord and He ore of the hundred dollar school LICE He was twice married. His first L. Vinson, C. L. Miller and H. E. where Kellogs, Wayne county was a specified to the number of t

NEW RAILROAD BRIDGE.

Quite a number of prominent con-tractors went to Walbridge, three miles south of Louisa, on the C. & O., for the purpose of looking over the ground where the railroad com-pany intends to construct a con-crete bridge serves the Levies fork crete bridge across the Levisa fork of the Big Sandy. The new bridge will be so placed that the Walbridge tunnel will be avoided.

The construction of the bridge

value then return to Ashland for residence.

The bride is handsome, younglooking and popular, highly esteemed in the section where she has lived many years. She belongs to one of the best families in the Big Sandy country. Billy" Myers is one of the best known and most popular conductors in the service of the C. & O. He has carried hundreds of thousands of men, women and children up and down this division during his years of employment, and is liked by all. He is to be congratulated on his recent good fortune.

Wile & Nasville—are vitally interest, and T. J. Callaghan and W. A. Macknight, all of the Cambridge and W. A. Macknight, all of the Cambridge and Macknight, are expected in Cincinnati today as they ular conductors in the service of the C. & O. He has carried hundreds of thousands of men, women and children up and down this division of the L. and N. yester day, and will come to Cincinnati for the last leg of the journey to New York City.

HEAR STANLEY AND LANGLEY.

The public generally, and the friends of the K. N. C. particularly, should attend the grand rally at the conductors of should attend the grand rally at the conductors in the service of the C. & O. He has carried hundreds on his recent good for coal mines situated on all of the roads. The Wilsh syndicate expects to start out with shipments of about 4,000,000 tons of coal per annum to the Atlantic sease aboard for shipment to South American coal will and attend the grand rally at the grand rally at the conductors in the service of the C. & O. He has carried hundreds and Bear creek.

The GNE WES.

This society held a social session of Fiday evening last at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer, that present by the amount of money we spence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer, of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer, that present by are army the open on Friday evening last at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spencer, that present by are an analysis of the conductors in the service of the conductors in the service of the conductors in the service of the conductors

A NOTABLE OCCASION.

Mr. and Mrs. James Layne, of Guyandotte, who celebrated Wednesday the 50th anniversary of their marriage, were for many years residents of this city, where they have many relatives and friends. They were married Feb. 5th, 1863, in the house where the widow Rice lives, near the mouth of Two Mile creek.

WAS CALLED TO PORTSMOUTH.

While in Cincinnati 'ast week'

GOOD ROADS.

The subject of good roads will be brought before the school hops divided into eight Good Roads Clubs to correspond with the eight educational divisions or magisterial districts.

Three prizes will be awarded to each division, making twenty-four prizes for good roads. We think first prize for each division will be not less than \$10.00.

Our plan is to have each school make 100 yards of good road. All of this will be fully explained later.

"Far from the maddening crowds ignoble strife,

Their sober wishes never learned to a close Wednesday night. The final sermon was preached by the final sermon was pr

liott county the fact was noted in this paper. One of the Burgesses named in the foregoing is Mose a well known solored man experience

LICENSED TO WED.

Y. P. M. S.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South will be entertained by Miss Nina McHenry on Saturday afternoon,

CORN CLUBS.

Organization for Corn Clubs and Good Roads New Starting.

Mr. G. F. Friel, formerly of the Ashland Independent, has purchas-ed the Portsmouth Blade and en-tered upon his duties as editor, Mr. Friel is a newspaper man of wide experience and is well equipped for

TO THE LAND OF FLOWERS.

Herbert Sammons and Charley Branham, of the B. & O. rallroad, left Louisa Tuesday morning for a trip to the South. They will go di-rect to Key West, Florida, and will spend about a month in the land of

UNLESS HE WAS BLIND.

If the ground hog came out of his hole last Sunday he saw his shadow, unless he had paralysis of the optic nerve. Hundreds of thou-sands of people put more faith in